

House Resolution No. 2614

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to acknowledge the life and lifetime achievements of one of the Show-Me State's most beloved senior citizens; and

Whereas, Martha Bader, a treasured resident of Gladstone, Missouri, will celebrate the glorious occasion of her Eightieth Birthday on May 20, 2004; and

Whereas, Martha Bader came into this world on May 20, 1924, since which time she has witnessed with pleasure such monumental events as man's walking on the Moon, the dawn of modern medical science, and world computerization; and

Whereas, a longtime resident of North Kansas City, Martha Bader spent her childhood in Lathrop and graduated from Kearney High School, following which she found employment opportunities with Clay County and the State of Missouri; and

Whereas, a proud recipient of the Clay County Democratic Central Committee's Lifetime Service Award, Martha Bader has compiled an enviable list of service to the Democratic Party through the important role she has played as a Jackson County Precinct Captain under the Royster administration, a tireless volunteer for Democratic candidates, and as a member of the Clay County Democratic Central Committee, the Northland Democratic Club, and the Clay County Women's Democratic Club; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Martha Bader has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include her daughter and son-in-law, Terri Ross-Trecuzzi and Jim Trecuzzi; her granddaughter and her husband, Kristina and Keith Bennett; and her two great-grandchildren, Aubrey and Blake Bennett:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and happy birthday greetings to Martha Bader as she proudly commemorates eighty years of achievement, and in wishing her much peace and prosperity as she continues her journey along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Martha Bader, as a mark of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative Philip Willoughby
District No. 33

Representative Daniel Bishop
District No. 38

Representative Trent Skaggs
District No. 31

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2614, adopted May 4, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker